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FOR: VERIFICATION SCORE NORMALIZATION IN A SPEAKER VOICE RECOGNITION DEVICE

Enclosed are:

- 23 page(s) of Specification, Claims and Abstract
 2 sheet(s) of formal drawings
 Declaration & Power of Attorney
 Claim of Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119
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